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- 1. Tissue regenerating agent comprising a fusion protein derived from a protein or a peptide sequence which effects uptake in cells and comprising a protein inducing the proliferation of cells.
- 2. Tissue regenerating agent comprising a fusion protein derived from the viral protein VP22 with a protein inducing the proliferation of cells.
- 3. Tissue regenerating agent comprising a fusion protein derived from a protein or a peptide sequence that effects uptake in cells, with the SV40 T-antigen.
- 4. Agent according to Claim 1, comprising a fusion protein derived from the viral protein VP22 with the SV40 T-antigen.
- 5. Agent according to Claim 1, comprising a fusion protein derived from the viral protein VP22 with a viral cyclin.
- 6. Use of the agent according to Claims 1 5 for regeneration of cardiac tissue damaged by an infarct.
- 7. Use of the agent according to Claims 1 5 for regeneration of nerve cells.
- 8. Use of the agent according to Claims 1'5 for cultivation of terminally differentiated cells.
- 9. Use of the agent according to Claim 8 for ex vivo cultivation, for example of cardiomyocytes with subsequent re-implantation.